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Loans and Investments, \$915,125.73
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Banking House, 73,291.81
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents, 158,120.22
Cash, 52,642.35
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\$1,229,179.61

LIABILITIES

Capital, \$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits, 187,741.24
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Deposits, 941,333.32
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Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, NOV. 5

Raising a False Issue.

A story well known to lawyers of the last generation is about the "umbrella case." A man was charged with stealing an umbrella, and a number of witnesses went into the box to testify to the offense. The counsel for the defendant noted that each witness carried an umbrella (the time of year was midsummer, which explains the necessity for these impediments). As a matter of fact, the prisoner had no defense to make. The barrister, thrown on his wits, exclaimed: "Gentlemen of the jury, did you not notice that each of the witnesses carried an umbrella into the box? Why is this, gentlemen? It is done in order to infect your minds with the idea of an umbrella, to prejudice the prisoner in your eyes, to raise a false issue, and I appeal to you to signify your detestation of this concerted action by bringing in a verdict of not guilty." The judge, who imagined that little attention would be paid to such a ploy, took little time and less pains to sum up the case. The jury nevertheless brought in a verdict in accordance with the resourceful barrister's wishes.—London News.

The National Flag.

The first display of the national flag at a military post was at Fort Schuyler, on the site of the present city of Rome, N. Y. The fort was besieged early in August, 1777. The garrison was without a flag, so one was made according to the prescription of congress by cutting up sheets to form the white stripes, bits of scarlet cloth for the red stripes, and the blue ground for the stars was made from a piece of the blue cloak belonging to Captain Abraham Swartwout of Dutchess county, N. Y. This flag was unfurled over the fort on Aug. 3, 1777.

The national flag was first unfurled in battle on the banks of the Brandywine Sept. 11, 1777. The flag was first hoisted over a foreign stronghold June 28, 1778, when Captain Rathbone of the American sloop of war Providence captured Fort Nassau, on the Bahama Islands. Captain P. Jones was the first man to display the American flag on an American vessel. This flag was made by the women of Portsmouth, N. H., for the Ranger, which was fitted out at that port for Captain Jones. The Ranger sailed from Portsmouth on Nov. 1, 1777.

Buried Landscapes.

One of the most curious results of geological exploration is the discovery of "buried landscapes," by which is meant parts of the former face of the earth now covered under later deposits, but yet retaining so many of their original features that the geologist can ideally reconstruct the scenes that would have been presented to the eye of man if he had been present among them. Sometimes buried landscapes exist in countries now densely inhabited. Investigation has shown that one lies beneath the region in England known as Charnwood forest. The rocky projections scattered there are the peaks and arêtes of a buried mountain chain belonging to the old red sandstone period. Several different phases in the history of this landscape have been traced. At one time it contained salt lakes and desert expanses. In its modern form it is a pastoral region, with barren, stony tracts and rocky eminences where the ancient mountains project through the soil.—Detroit Free Press.

Whistler as a Horseman.

Boggs, a cadet cavalry officer at West Point academy, was an assistant in the riding hall. On one occasion he overheard Whistler, who thoroughly disliked to ride, objecting strenuously to the horse brought for his use. The horse, he argued, was too heavily built and much too large for a man of his size. Whistler, with much vehemence, urged the man next him to "swap." The man with whom he wished to exchange horses was of muscular build and a "poverty generous size" and his horse a lightweight animal, so it seemed to Whistler that it would be a "most fitting exchange." "Oh, don't swap! Don't you swap. Mr. Whistler!" cried the dragon. "Yours is a war horse, sir!" "A war horse!" exclaimed Whistler. "That settles it. I certainly don't want him." "Yes, you do, sir," reiterated the man. "He's a war horse, I tell you, for he'd rather die than run."—Century.

Among Those Present.

Commenting with light irony on the pretensions of a certain nouveau riche, a contributor to Paris Figaro questions whether men of this type are any siller than those of a past generation who belonged to well known families of long descent. "There was one of the family of Croix," this contributor writes, "who was fond of showing an old painting of Noah entering the ark and crying out: 'Sauvez les papiers de la maison de Croix!' (Save the records of the house of Croix!)"

Corrected His Error.

With the Germans the absentminded college professor is a stock source of witticisms.

One of these deeply absorbed gentlemen, sitting on a rear seat, thought he knew a person sitting in front and was about to speak to him when, the stranger by chance turning a little, the professor saw that he was mistaken. Nevertheless, touching him on the shoulder, he remarked politely: "You will excuse me, but you are not the person I thought you were."

About Face.

Miss Prude—"I just heard that Mr. Upton had an accident—in fact, that he broke his—ab—er—limb, you know. Do you know how it happened, Mr. Jones?"

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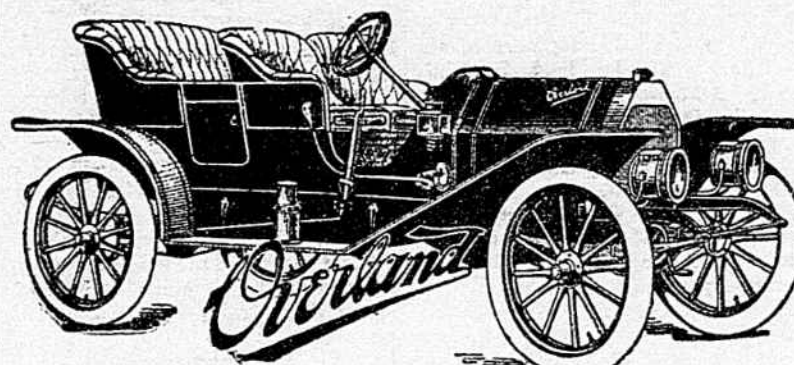
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